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March 2, 2007

Mr. William Kelley, Financial Secretary Ironworkers Local 372 4958 Winton Ridge Avenue Cincinnati, OH 45232

Re: Case Number:

Dear Mr. Kelley:

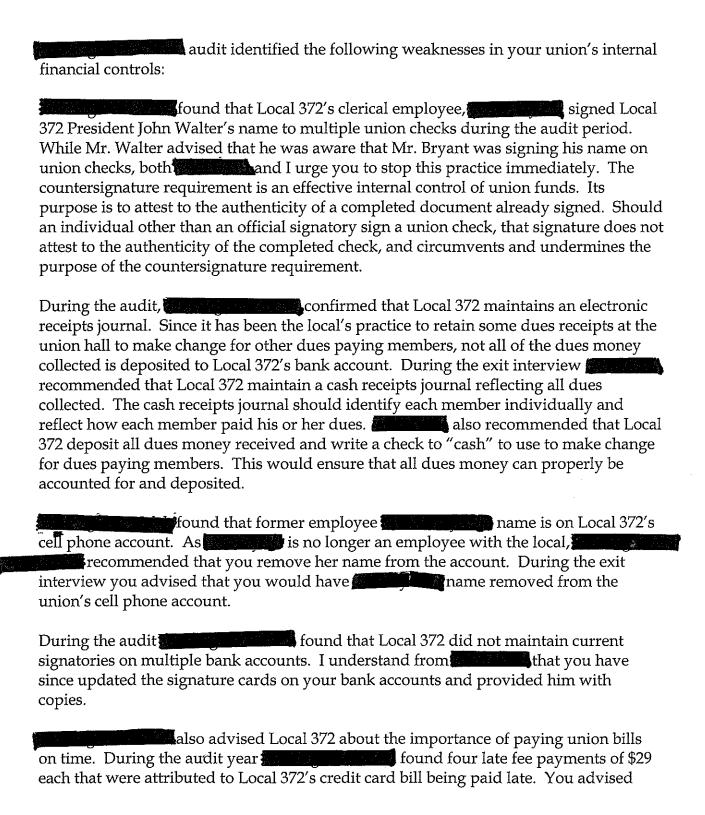
This office recently completed an audit of Ironworkers Local 372 under the Compliance Audit Program (CAP) to determine your organization's compliance with the provisions of the Labor-Management Reporting and Disclosure Act of 1959 (LMRDA). As discussed during the exit interview with you on February 8, 2007, the following problems were disclosed during the CAP. The matters listed below are not an exhaustive list of all possible problem areas since the audit conducted was limited in scope.

The audit of Local 372's 2006 records revealed the following recordkeeping violations:

The audit disclosed a violation of LMRDA Section 206 that requires, in part, that adequate records be maintained to verify, support, and clarify all union disbursements. found that several receipts were missing for disbursements that were for travel related expenses. Local 372 also failed to maintain receipts for gas purchases with the union's credit card. At the exit interview, you told Investigator Walsh that you would start maintaining all of the required backup documentation to support any purchases that are made with union funds.

The CAP also disclosed a violation of LMRDA Section 201(a) which requires that a union submit a copy of its revised bylaws with its LM report when constitution or bylaw changes are made. Local 372 amended its bylaws, but a copy was not filed with its LM report for that year. Since you provided Investigator Walsh the latest copy, no further action is warranted at this time.

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'that Local 372 will pay more attention to paying the local's bills on time to avoid late fees being assessed.

I want to extend my personal appreciation to Ironworkers Local 372 for the cooperation and courtesy extended to during this compliance audit. I strongly recommend that you make sure this letter and the compliance assistance materials provided to you are passed on to future officers. If we can provide any additional assistance, please do not hesitate to call.

Sincerely,

Lesta A. Chandler District Director

cc: President John Walter Ron Gladney, Attorney at Law